Living Out Evangelism

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Living Out Evangelism Worksheet

Slide 1.

* Let us begin with a word of Prayer.
* “Living out Evangelism” is the name of this training session.
* You will find this training session taken from your manual on page 2.71
* But before we get there, let me tell you something about myself.
  + My name is Betty Unruh, I am the former Hope Coordinator and current Follow-Up Volunteer at PRCE
  + I believed in Jesus Christ as my Savior from sin at the age of 10.
  + I am a wife, mother, and grandmother (three children and four grandchildren).
  + My husband and I graduated from a Grace Bible College in Omaha, NE
  + We attended Child Evangelism Fellowship for three months with extensive training in how to teach children and how to present the Gospel message.
  + We spent four years in Alaska, church planting and working with youth and children; helped start a wilderness Bible Camp.
  + I co-taught a “Good News” club with a fellow-missionary
  + Since coming back to the lower 48 in 1973 – we have been involved with children’s ministries, such as AWANAs and Kids Beach Club and SS, have taught ladies Bible studies, and have done one-on-one mentoring.
  + I have volunteered at the Center for about 8 years in various capacities.

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Verse on slide: \_Romans\_\_\_\_\_:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

“To know \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ are the two highest callings in life.”

We cannot share with others what we do not know!

Therefore, we need to know Christ, personally, to be able to share the message of Christ.

We are here at the Center to give the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to our clients

We are here to give information to our clients about: Abortion, Abstinence and Adoption – in other words, give the client a different perspective

We are here to educate our clients in the role they find themselves in

We all come here from different backgrounds, but what we all \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on is:

Jesus Christ is the Son of God

To have eternal life, we must put our faith in Jesus Christ and what He did for us on the cross, and

We must believe that the Bible is the inerrant Word of God

Having said all that, you and I must not be ashamed of the Gospel of Jesus Christ…as the verse says…the Gospel message is the power of God to salvation…

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* *“Your time in the counseling room with your client is a divine appointment from God.”*
  + I believe this with all my heart.
  + I see this being played out at the Center all the time.
  + God \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you with the client in front of you!
  + You may have had an experience in your life that will help you understand her need.
  + However, we are not with the client to talk about ourselves, we are there to talk with them about their needs and their spiritual life.
  + That is not to say that there may be times when an experience you have had will be helpful to her.
  + Not too long ago I read a book by Sheila Walsh, “the Longing in Me.”
  + Many of things she writes about apply to what we do here at the Center.
  + Every longing that we try to satisfy apart from God will always fall short because God has made us for Himself and our heart is restless until it rests in Him. God’s love has never been based on our behavior, good or bad.
  + It’s always been based on His nature.
  + So how do we begin to really grasp that?
  + Understanding grace is the work of God in our lives, and we each walk our own \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it.
  + What our clients need to understand is this:
    - We all make wrong choices from time to time.
* We are all born broken – sometimes the choices that we make - make us more broken.
* When we see our brokenness – we also see the faithfulness of God.
* God \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ us or forsakes us – they need to know this.
* He never says, “you blew it – that was your last chance.”
* God’s love for us – our clients – isn’t based on our perfect performance, but on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ God has for us.
* He is always FAITHFUL!

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* As believers in Jesus Christ, we are in a spiritual warfare.
* This is very real here at the Center.
* We never know what we are going to face inside that counseling room and the evil one doesn’t want us to speak the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, but that is why we are here.
* It would be easier to just gloss over some of the things our clients face because it can be uncomfortable.
* If you have experienced the love of Christ by believing in Him – ask God to help you share that message of love with your client – in your own way – your own words.
* The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ stays the same.

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* In order to prepare for this warfare, there are some things you need to do.
  1. You must have a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with Jesus Christ. John 20:31
  2. You must be in the Word, reading, meditating, memorizing, Heb 4:12
     1. We cannot share what we do not know
  3. You must spend \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
     1. Oswald Chambers has said, “Prayer does not fit us for the greater works; prayer is the greater work!”
  4. You must have a pure heart. You must be a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for God to use.
     1. I john 1:9, written to believers – “If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.” – fellowship!
     2. James 4:8, “Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners; and purify your hearts, you double-minded”

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* As believers in Jesus Christ, we still have a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and therefore sin from time to time.
* When we do sin, our fellowship with Christ is hindered or broken.
* So when we do fail, grieve or quench the Holy Spirit, we need to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ whatever sin it is so that fellowship with Christ is restored.
* These are sins of commission – grieving; sins of omission – quenching.

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* These are on a strip in your folder
* These points are in your book, so will go over these quickly. Please spend some time going over these on your own.

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* Take time out for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Lend a hand
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* This is probably the most important thing you can do – besides knowing your Bible.
* God + Holy Spirit= Power
* Pray the Scriptures
* Tell the story of God’s Redemption
* Give \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Be patient

Be persistent, but know when to stop, if the client isn’t interested

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Let’s set the stage for giving the Gospel message.

These words come from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to one of His disciples, Thomas, after His resurrection.

* + Jesus said to His disciples in John 14:6, *“I am the way, the truth and the life, no man comes to the Father except through me.”*

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* The Gospel Message – means “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” – in the original language it means “evangelism”
* Evangelism means “to bring good news.”
* Jesus Christ died for our \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Jesus Christ was buried
* Jesus Christ rose again – according to the Scriptures
* This is the Gospel message – straight from God’s Word, the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* Did you know that the most difficult thing about coming to faith in Christ is the simplicity of the message!
* Why?
* Because people think they have to DO something.

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* You will learn the difference between the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of Christ and the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of Christ.

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* Let’ go back to Genesis – the first book in the Bible.
* God gave Adam and Eve an ultimatum

Eat from every tree in the garden – except one

The Tree of the knowledge of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If you do eat from it, you will DIE

* We all know that they ate – that’s another story!
* Did they drop dead?
* No – but they died \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – they became separated from God
* We know that how? Because –
  + Their eyes were both opened
  + They knew they were naked
    - They sewed fig leaves to cover themselves
    - They heard the Lord GOD walking in the garden
    - They hid from the presence of God
    - God called out to them – “Where are you?”
    - Adam answers with: “I heard Your voice in the garden and I was afraid because I was naked; and hid myself.”
    - Then Adam and Eve went into the “blame” game!

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* Because Adam and Eve \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ God, you and I were born in sin – separated from God.
* Sin separates us from God
* Maybe we should ask the question, “What is sin?”
* Sin is lack of conformity to the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of God!
* Anything that we think, say or do that doesn’t point to the character of God – is sin!
* The only standard for measuring sin is the holy character of God.
* Sin is sinful because it is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the character of God.
* If we do not have a clear understanding of the character of God, we will never understand sin.
* The only way to come to an understanding of God is to listen to what He has to say about Himself, to study and meditate upon His Word!
* Sin is so terrible that one act of Adam and Eve brought degeneration and depravity and unfathomable suffering to all humanity.
* Sin is so terrible that the perfect Son of God suffered to an infinite degree on the cross to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ all mankind.
* Because of this one act of disobedience –
  + We are all imputed with the sin of Adam
  + We have inherited a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + We sin personally when we make wrong choices

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* Man has tried since Adam and Eve to reach God only to fail because \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ are not God’s ways
* We are going to look at God’s way…

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* + Carefully read and meditate on these verses.

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* Because Adam and Eve disobeyed God, became sinners, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ are born sinners.
  + Adam and Eve died “spiritually” and then eventually died “physically.”
* Sin separates us from God.
* Because of this – Jesus Christ went to the cross to pay the penalty for our sin.
  + Jesus died \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ bearing our sins in His own body on the cross.
  + Physical pain and suffering – not a word was said
  + He hung on the cross from 9 am to 6 pm
  + From noon to 3 pm – it was dark – so you couldn’t see what was happening on the cross
  + God, the Father and God, the Holy Spirit, broke the union that had always been because God cannot \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at sin in any way –
  + Sin separated the Trinity –

When Jesus Christ was on the cross, all the sins of mankind were placed on Him – He became sin for us who knew no sin…

* + When Jesus Christ was bearing our sins in His own body on the cross, this is when HE screamed….”my God, my God, why have you forsaken me?”
* Then Jesus said, “It is finished,” gave up His spirit – died voluntarily and died physically.

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* Self-explanatory!

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* Verses that explain what happened on the cross.

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* Jesus Christ broke the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when He paid for our sin on the Cross.
* There is one mediator between God and man, the man Christ Jesus.
* He was the only one who could remove the barrier of sin between God and man
* How did He do this?
* By becoming \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* You and I will never be judged for our sins because Jesus was judged for them.

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* Jesus Christ was buried….according to the Scriptures….
* Why is it important that He was buried?
  + Because He had to be truly dead
  + First-century Jews believed that the soul and the spirit did not totally depart from the body until the end of the third day.
  + So, the fact that Jesus was buried and was in the tomb for three days was crucial to the message

* Jesus Christ arose from the grave three days later just as He said He would
  + The fact of Christ’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is the only basis for the Christian’s hope.
  + Because of victory over death, Jesus Christ is to the believer the source of resurrection life and the source of resurrection power.
  + When we believe the Good News, we are turned around
  + When we believe in Jesus Christ, we are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in his death and resurrection, we are now dead to sin and alive to God, we become a new creation.

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* Ge 3:15 And I will put enmity Between you and the woman, And between your seed and her Seed; He shall bruise your head, And you shall bruise His heel."
* Even though this verse is kind of hard to understand, the underlying fact is, that the Savior, Jesus Christ, would come from the seed of the woman (Eve) and be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to redeem them and all mankind from sin.
* How do we know they believed in the promised Messiah?
  + They accepted the animal sacrifice God provided for them by putting on the clothes from the animal – a covering – until Jesus Christ would actually become the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + They believed that Jesus Christ would be their substitute.

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* Punitive:
  + 2 Cor 5:21, 2Co 5:21 For He made Him \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.
* Substitutionary:
  + Isa 53:5-6, Isa 53:5 But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace was upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed.
  + 6 All we like sheep have gone astray; We have turned, every one, to his own way; And the LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all.
* Voluntary:
  + Joh 10:18 "No one takes it from Me, but I lay it down of Myself. I have power to lay it down, and I have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. This command I have received from My Father.“
* Redemptive:
  + Gal 3:13, Ga 3:13 Christ has redeemed us from the curse of the law, having become a curse for us (for it is written, "Cursed is everyone who hangs on a tree"),; Ga 4:5, Ga 4:5 to redeem those who were under the law, that we might receive the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* Propitiatory:
  + God’s righteous demand was satisfied with the perfect sacrifice – Rom 3:25; whom God set forth as a propitiation by His blood, through faith, to demonstrate \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, because in His forbearance God had passed over the sins that were previously committed, 1Jo 2:2 And He Himself is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the whole world.:

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* Reconciliation:
  + Romans 5:1, Therefore, having been \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ,
* Efficacious:
  + Ro 5:9 Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from wrath through Him.;
  + Eph 2:13 But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.;
  + Heb 9:11 But Christ came as High Priest of the good things to come, with the greater and more perfect tabernacle not made with hands, that is, not of this creation.
  + Hebr 9:11-12 Not with the blood of goats and calves, but with His own blood He entered the Most Holy Place once for all, having obtained \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* Revelatory:
  + Joh 3:16 "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.;
  + Ro 5:8 But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.;
  + 1Jo 4:9 In this the love of God was manifested toward us, that God has sent His only begotten Son into the world, that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ through Him. I John 4:9-10 In this is love, not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son to be the propitiation for our sins.

Slide 24 and 25.

* In the verses mentioned, you will see that there is a reoccurring word

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Over 98 times in the Gospel of John you will read that to have eternal life, one must BELIEVE in Jesus Christ for eternal life.

Slide 26.

Jesus has given us a template.

The story of Mary, Martha, and Lazarus.

We must not be afraid to ask the question; “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, was buried and rose again for your sin?”

Simple question.

If you can say affirmatively “Yes” to the question, you have eternal life.

There is a question on our intake form that asks, “If you were to die today would you go to heaven?”

Sometimes the client will say different things such as:

Yes, I believe - I usually question what it is that they believe?

I’m not sure – I don’t go to church enough

I’m a good person

I’ve not murdered anyone

I work hard at being good

Sometimes the client thinks that their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is so bad, God wouldn’t love them as they are.

Why do they think this way?

Perhaps their earthly father didn’t show them unconditional love.

“God is so much bigger than their past. He is so much more merciful than their sin. He is so much stronger than their weakest moment. He plans for them are so much great than their failures. He is for them.”

We need to make it clear to the client that

It’s not about church attendance

None are righteous, no not one

It’s not about our behavior

The work has already been done on the cross – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Slide 27 and 28.

FAITH ALONE IN \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ALONE!!

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Here are some verses to reassure us of our salvation…

Slide 29, 30, and 31.

Read

Slide 32.

What the Gospel is NOT:   
Phrases which Cloud the Issue!

1. Give your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to Jesus
2. Give your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to God
3. Invite \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_into your heart.
4. Would you like to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Christ?
5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Christ
6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**The Gospel is Clear and Simple:**

* + Christ died for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and rose from the dead.
  + We simply come to God as a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, recognize Christ died for us and arose, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Jesus Christ as our only way to heaven.
  + Let’s not make confusing what God makes so \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + The message of the Gospel is a matter of life (with Christ), or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from Christ.